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1. IN TALKS WITH BOCQUE APRIL 4, IN WHICH EMBOFF RECEIVED RUNDOWN OF ACTIVITIES OF COMMITTEES ESTABLISHED UNDER POMPIDOU INITIATIVE (SEPTEL), AND AGAIN APRIL 5, IN WHICH EMBOFF CONVEYED VIEWS AND INFORMATION PROVIDED IN REFTEL, EMBASSY HAS LEARNED THAT, WHILE BELGIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY HAS STILL NOT YET RECEIVED OFFICIAL RESPONSES FROM OTHER MINISTRIES, BELGIANS ARE IN FAVOR OF OBJECTIVE OF PROPOSED SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL CONFERENCE AND WISH TO LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PARTICIPATE IF THEY CAN MAKE POSITIVE CONTRIBUTION. EMBOFF STRESSED BREADTH OF MATTERS TO BE COVERED AND EXTENT TO WHICH PARTICIPANTS FROM QUITE BROADLY RELATED BACKGROUNDS MIGHT CONTRIBUTE, BUT HE ALSO POINTED OUT INFORMATIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL ASPECTS OF CONFERENCE THAT MIGHT BE OF UTILITY TO BELGIANS WHO, BY THEIR GOOD FORTUNE, SO FAR HAVE HAD LITTLE EXPERIENCE IN DRUGRELATED ASPECTS OF THEIR WORK. SEEMINGLY RELIEVED O IRISH NOTE, EITHER

ORALLY OR IN A DIPLOMATIC NOTE, AS FOLLOWS:

A. USG PREPARED GRANT NEW YORK IN RETURN FOR GOI ACCEPTANCE OF DUBLIN RIGHTS FOR ONE US AIRLINE WITH NO

BEYOND RIGHTS AND WITH SHANNON STOP MANDATORY AS LONG AS ALL OTHER AIRLINES AUTHORIZED TO OPERATE BETWEEN DUBLIN AND THE US ARE REQUIRED TO DO LIKEWISE.

- B. IN RECOGNITION GOI CONCERNS RE FORM OF AGREEMENT, USG PREPARED INCLUDE THESE NEW RIGHTS OF US AIRLINES IN AGREEMENT AND TO RESTORE LANDING RIGHTS AT NEW YORK FOR IRISH AIRLINES IN AGREEMENT.
- C. RE GUARANTEE, GOI WILL UNDERSTAND THAT US ADMINISTRATION CANNOT COMMIT A SUBSEQUENT ONE. HOWEVER, US PREPARED TO GIVE TO GOI AN ASSURANCE, IN AN APPROPRIATE FORM, THAT US WILL NOT AGAIN RAISE QUESTIONS OF RIGHTS UNDER THE NEWLY AMENDED AGREEMENT FOR A PERIOD EXTENDING TO EARLY 1977. THIS ASSURANCE WOULD NOT, OF COURSE, BE MADE PUBLIC BY US AND WE WOULD EXPECT GOI HONOR THE CONFIDENCE. IF GOI NEEDS MAKE SOMETHING PUBLIC ON MATTER, WE COULD WORK OUT SCENARIO, POSSIBLY IN FORM ANSWER DAIL INQUIRY, THAT GOI CONFIDENT NEW AGREEMENT RESOLVES USIRELAND LANDING RIGHTS ISSUE FOR FORESEEABLE FUTURE.
- D. USG CANNOT, HOWEVER, ACCEPT IRISH PROPOSAL INSOFAR AS IT INVOLVES CHARTERS. IN ANY EVENT, PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT ON INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORTATION POLICY OF JUNE 22, 1970, SPECIFICALLY STATES THAT THERE SHOULD BE NO TRADEOFF AS BETWEEN SCHEDULED SERVICE RIGHTS AND CHARTER SERVICE RIGHTS, WHICH AS GOI NOTE ADMITS, WOULD BE CONSEQUENCE OF IRISH PROPOSAL. CHARTERS HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED INTO THE PICTURE AT GOI REQUEST AND USG PERFECTLY PREPARED CONFIDENTIAL.

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TO DROP MATTER. IT MAY BE POSSIBLE RESOLVE ANY CHARTER

ISSUES AS SEPARATE MATTER, AND USG WILLING ENTER INTO SEPARATE TALKS ON CHARTERS IN NEAR FUTURE, AND TO JOINTLY ANNOUNCE THIS WHEN LANDING RIGHTS AGREEMENT SIGNED.

3. IN PRESENTING FOREGOING RESPONSE, AMBASSADOR SHOULD AGAIN EMPHASIZE URGENCY OF RESOLUTION ALONG LINES STATE 56934. ROGERS

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